RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116 EXPEDITED PROCEDURE EXAMINING GROUP 1617

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
SANTU BANDYOPADHYAY ET AL) Examiner: Layla Soroush
Application No.: 10/613,122) Group Art Unit: 1617) Attorney Docket: 02506.00P600.1
Filed: July 7, 2003) Confirmation No.: 7170
For: A SYNERGISTIC COMPOSITION FOR TREATING LEUKEMIA) April 6, 2009

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PROPOSED AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL WITH PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Final Office Action dated October 28, 2008, for three months from January 28, 2009, up to and including April 28, 2009. The statutory fee of \$1,110 for payment of the extension is being paid electronically. No additional claim fee is required. The Appeal Fee is not being submitted, at this time. Any underpayment is to be charged, and any overpayment credited, to Deposit Account 06-1205.

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In response to the Final Office Action dated October 28, 2008, and in the letter and spirit of Rule 1.116 applicants propose to amend the above-identified application to obviate technical rejections, as follows: